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Amendments to the Claims

This application claims the benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/395,803, filed July 16, 2002.

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Brief Description of Drawings:

- Figure 1 illustrates images 1 and 2, which show MR images of the pelvic region 24 hours after intravenous administration of 0.1 mmol of Gd/kg of body weight of the compound according to the invention in the PIT rabbit (photochemically induced thrombus).
- Figure 2 illustrates images 3 and 4, which show that with both staining techniques (HE and PTAH), the red blood clots (thrombi) could be detected in the area of the left femoral vein.
- Figure 3 illustrates images 5 and 7, which show that in the ex-vivo MR imaging, a considerable enhancement of the thrombi can be observed with the T1-weighted spin echo sequence.